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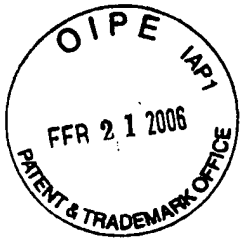
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Applicant hereby appeals the rejection of pending claims 81-95 in the above-referenced application. These claims have been twice rejected as required by 37 C.F.R. § 41.31(a)(1). Previously the claims were rejected in U.S. Patent Application U.S.S.N. 09/874,514, filed June 5, 2001, and in U.S.S.N. 10/695,582, filed October 28, 2003. The current rejection of these claims in the above-referenced case was mailed August 30, 2005. A Credit Card Payment Form authorizing payment in the amount of \$250.00 to cover the fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 41.20(b)(1) is enclosed.


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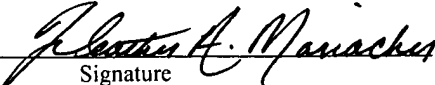
  
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